Homework 1 Ethical and cultural issues
Unit 5 Impacts of digital technology

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Name: ..... **Class:** ..... **Mark:** .....

Remember that the quality of written communication is assessed in examinations in questions marked with an asterisk (*).

When answering the following questions, remember to:

- Plan some key ideas or areas of focus before you start writing
- Make sure your answer applies to the context given and that all parts are relevant
- Weigh up both sides of the discussion
- If asked to consider specific impacts (e.g. cultural, ethical, legal or environmental), make sure to focus on these rather than other areas

1.* Parents can now buy GPS tracking devices for their children. This allows them to monitor their child's location at any time.

Discuss the impact of tracking children with GPS devices.

In your answer, you might consider the impact on:

- Cultural issues
- Ethical issues [8]

2.* Shopping via online shops has steadily been increasing. This has led to a number of retailers finding it hard to compete.

Discuss the impact of online shopping on traditional retailers.

In your answer, you might consider the impact on:

- Cultural issues
- Ethical issues

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3. Many people now use mobile phones whilst walking near roads.
   Explain **two** cultural or ethical issues with this.

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[Total 20 marks]